

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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<i>Application No.:</i>	10/771,871	
<i>Applicant(s):</i>	Joseph W. Pieczynski, II et al.	
<i>Filed:</i>	February 4, 2004	
<i>Invention:</i>	INSTRUMENT FOR TOTAL KNEE ARTHROPLASTY AND METHODS FOR PERFORMING SAME	
<i>TC/A.U.:</i>	3733	
<i>Examiner:</i>	Nicholas W. Woodall	
<i>Atty. Docket:</i>	ZIM0586	
<i>Customer No.:</i>	43963	
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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 15, 2008 (hereinafter the "Office Action"), Applicants request consideration of the following:

Claims which are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks beginning on page 4 of this paper.